



# WEST BOUNTIFUL CITY NEWSLETTER

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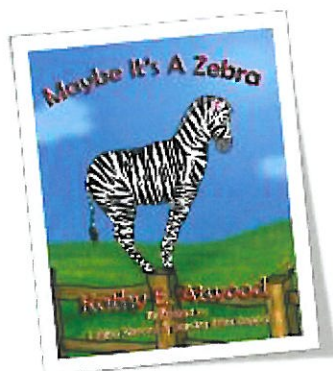
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## West Bountiful Native Becomes an Author

Kathy Edmonds Atwood, a lonely little petunia raised on Onion Street in West Bountiful, is now the author of her first children's picture book. "Maybe It's A Zebra" was published in January 2012.

Atwood is the daughter of former West Bountiful residents Ray and Martha Edmonds. She is the sister of Gary Edmonds, former West Bountiful councilman. She attended West Bountiful Elementary School for six years back when it was a two story school house.

As a young girl she anticipated the excitement of the three day Kermis which was held each year in the fall...enjoying the events under the big tent, rock weighing, fish pond, and fortune telling with Kathy's mother dressed as a gypsy using tea leaves to tell one's fortune. She still has fond memories of bingo games, cake walks, hot dogs, and hamburgers.

"West Bountiful was a great place to be raised. I remember running through the fields, climbing trees, topping onions for Bishop Telford, and bunching onions and radishes for the Mano family when they lived on Pages Lane," said Atwood. In her youth she lived at 833 North 8<sup>th</sup> West. The white adobe house was torn down a few years ago and is now the entrance into a subdivision.

A grandmother of five, she loves to listen to the wonderful things that children say. She believes that children have a special insight and that we all have something to learn from each other, regardless of age. She has loved children's stories all of her life. Her children's book was inspired by a statement her grandson Steven made. Her late granddaughter Leelyn Atwood used her talents and imagination to create the artwork for several pages. Her memory, creativity, and spirit will live on through her pictures.

Every child has an active imagination says Atwood. This color picture book will help unlock children's imagination as they are asked simple, probing questions and given creative answers. The book is filled with animals that keep a child's attention, a learning activity to help a child learn about animals and a question and answer page to help with reading retention. Learning is rarely this fun!

Atwood currently lives in Mesa, Arizona with her husband Richard, eight chickens and desert wildlife. Her web site is located at [www.maybeitsazebra.com](http://www.maybeitsazebra.com). For local information contact Debie Tobler at 801-292-9350.



**Mayor and Council members may be reached via email by using their  
first initial and last name @westbountiful.utah.gov  
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# C r a i g s C o r n e r



Sometimes it is difficult to see the services that the City provides because they are literally under ground. We are only reminded of them when we get our utility bill! This Spring and Summer we will witness several projects that will greatly enhance our quality of life. Please read on as we introduce a new feature of our newsletter:



## "Spotlight on Service"

After many years of working towards making needed improvements, we will see the following happen this construction season.

- 1) The waterline on 1100 West from 400 North up to 1200 North will be replaced. Over the last year we have had four significant leaks on that line and have patched over old patches. This will tie together two newer water lines on both end.
- 2) The waterline on 400 North from 800 West to 1100 West will be replaced. This is a continuation of the line that was started last year from the top end of 400 North in front of the school. This line is not only old but replacing it prepares us for the next project this year.
- 3) After the 400 North water line is replaced, the street itself will be replaced. This street has been in very poor condition. We are making sure that the utilities underground are repaired before we will replace the street, curb and gutter, and sidewalks. This will finally allow our school children to safely walk to school. This is a most significant and long desired project. It is also federally funded at the cost of about \$2,000,000. The City's portion is about \$165,000.
- 4) We are commencing the construction of our new Well to assure that we have a second source of water to provide for and protect our community. Once completed, Holly will contribute \$500,000 to help defray the costs.
- 5) A new trail will be constructed along the DSB canal from 800 West to the Legacy Parkway Trail. It will be our first east/west trail and has been designated an equestrian trail from the beginning of its design. Working with the State we received a 50% match to help pay for it. The other 50% is coming from park impact fees. The total value of the trail is about \$200,000.
- 6) In our main Park, we will complete the rebuild of the third ball field. We are excited to now have safe and workable new ball fields. These projects are funded by RAP taxes which come as a part of the sales taxes largely contributed from outside our community.
- 7) Also in our main Park Bowery the Stage is being updated. It will be extended to accommodate more performers, and it will be lowered to make it compliant with safety codes.

All told these improvements are valued at about \$4,000,000. We have long prepared and sacrificed to be able to begin making these greatly needed improvements for our community.

We seek your patience as these projects progress. There will be some necessary inconvenience as we work under and on the roads. We will communicate via the marquee and by flyer to immediately affected areas. Please plan on alternative routes as the work on 1100 West and 400 North commences.



## Lakeside Golf... A New Beginning

The Lakeside Golf Course is in the process of undergoing a transformation in leadership with an intense focus on Customer Service and improving the Course over the next several years.



### Here is the News:



Kelly Class is now the Head Golf Professional. Kelly is known for his customer service and long time caring for the course. Kelly is ably assisted by John Broberg. They have championed an upgrade to the Point-of-Sale system which will now allow much greater flexibility in tracking customer accounts including, passes, credit book, and pre-paid gift certificates.



The Course has a new fee schedule that was adopted by the City Council. Highlighted changes include the Range, establishing the age for "Seniors" at 55 years old, retaining the resident discount of 30% through punch passes only.



Marcus Fenton is now the Course Superintendent. Marcus was the superintendent for Eaglewood for yearly two decades and is responsible for many of their improvements.

Additional information is available at [www.lakesidegolfcourse.com](http://www.lakesidegolfcourse.com)



## Change in Large Animal Ordinance

The City Council recently made a change to the large animal ordinance for West Bountiful City. The current ordinance relies upon a point system to determine the number of animals per acre. The new changes start with the

old point system, but allow for a condition use that would reduce the points for horses and other large animals from 40 to 25. This allows two large farm animals on a half acre lot and up to four on an acre.

The Conditional Use permit is obtained through the Planning and Zoning Commission. The City Council is waiving the \$20 permit fee for the first 12 months, effective immediately so that the permit is free of charge. It was felt that this change allows for many who have not been in compliance with the current ordinance to have an avenue to come into compliance. It is also a way to balance the needs and rights of property owners who have horses with their neighbors who do not.

## WB YOUTH Council



**MARCH** - Our Youth Council will be attending the Logan Youth Conference



**APRIL- Annual Easter Egg Hunt** -Saturday April 7<sup>th</sup> 11:00 a.m. at the Bowery behind the City Hall.



**This year's Independence Day parade chair and committee will be hosted by the WB Youth City Council and will be on the morning of July 4<sup>th</sup>**

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# PUBLIC WORKS

## WEST BOUNTIFUL CITY SPRING CLEANUP 2012

Spring Cleanup will be held beginning Saturday, April 14th and run until Saturday, April 21st at the WB City Park! Only WB Residents will be allowed to dispose of yard waste and miscellaneous cleanup materials from their primary place of residence.

### The following materials will not be accepted!

- Lead Products
- Wood larger than 2'x2'x5'
- Lumber longer than 6'
- Chemical Materials/Explosives
- Paint
- Commercial Waste
- Animal Remains
- Tires
- Refrigerators/Air Conditioners w/Freon
- Hazardous Waste of any kind
- Powdered or Liquid Radioactive material
- Whole TV's
- Barbed Wire

**Where:** West Bountiful City Park

Bins Located in North Parking Lot By WB Base Ball Park

**Date:** Sat- April 14th - Sat April 21th

**Time:** M-F- 11:00 a.m.- 7:00 p.m.

Sat- 8:00 a.m. until bins are full

Sunday- No dumping allowed



**Please do not leave trash at barricades**

Bins will be barricaded after hours

Driver license will be checked

Scrap Metal Bins will be available

**Please Take Hazardous Material Waste**

To Wasatch Energy Recovery Facility in Layton

**Please Take Green Waste to**

**Bountiful Landfill**

*They accept WB green waste all year around when they are opened*

### West Bountiful Spring Construction Update 1100 West Water Line

Waterline construction began on February 27, 2012. Work will begin at 1200 North and proceed south. There will be intermittent road closures immediately around the area of work to protect the safety of the public and the workers both. The road will be re-opened each evening at the close of daily work. The City does not anticipate any work to occur on Fridays or weekends.

Everyone along this street should make some provisions for emergency water shut offs. Should the contractor unexpectedly break an existing line, the water would be turned off without notice. Otherwise, each home should receive a notice the day before a scheduled water shut down if their home is expected to be affected. This project will take six to eight weeks to complete.



**FALL CLEAN UP  
APRIL 14TH-21ST**



**Pardon Our Dust**  
**Your tax \$ at Work**  
See the City Website  
For current updated  
Information in your area  
Door hangers will be posted  
When water outages will  
be in place.



# For Your Information

## Mar-May Schedule of Events

All events occur at the West Bountiful City Hall unless otherwise noted

Tues	Mar 6	7:30 PM	City Council Meeting
Fri	Mar 9	7:00 PM	Arts Council Concert – Pianist Paul Dewey and Friends
Tues	Mar 13	7:30 PM	Planning Commission Meeting
Thurs	Mar 15	7:30 PM	Historic Commission
Tues	Mar 20	6:00 PM	Budget Work Session
Tues	Mar 20	7:30 PM	City Council Meeting
Tues	Mar 27	7:30 PM	Planning Commission
Tues	Apr 3	6:00 PM	Budget Work Session
Tues	Apr 3	7:30 PM	City Council Meeting
Thurs	Apr 5	7:00 PM	Arts Council
Tues	Apr 10	7:30 PM	Planning Commission
Fri	Apr 13	7:00 PM	Arts Council Concert – Ransom Note
Sat	Apr 14 -		Spring Clean Up Begins
Tues	Apr 17	6:00 PM	Budget Work Session
Tues	Apr 17	7:30 PM	City Council Meeting
Thurs	Apr 19	7:30 PM	Historic Commission
Sat	Apr 21		Spring Clean Up Ends
Tues	Apr 24	7:30 PM	Planning Commission
Tues	May 1	7:30 PM	City Council Meeting
Thurs	May 3	7:00 PM	Arts Council
Tues	May 8	7:30 PM	Planning Commission
Tues	May 15	7:30 PM	City Council Meeting
Thurs	May 17	7:30 PM	Historic Commission
Fri	May 18	7:00 PM	Arts Council Concert – Young Artists
Tues	May 22	7:30 PM	Planning Commission

### HORIZON CREDIT UNION SAFE SHRED SATURDAYS



**FREE Community Event** for all residents who would like to have their private documents properly destroyed in a **Safe and Efficient** way. There is **no limit** to how much paper you can shred.

**Shredding Trucks** will be in the Horizon CU Parking Lot at the Bountiful Branch 105 South 500 West on April 28<sup>th</sup> from 10:00 a.m.- Noon.

### HAVE OLD MEDICATIONS YOU NEED TO DISPOSE OF?



It's not a good idea to leave medications in your medicine cabinet where children, or others, run the risk of getting their hands on them. Many people are tempted to hold on to old medications just in case they may need them in the future. The reality is that the effectiveness of medications drops significantly over time and it is never a good idea to take old medications. The West Bountiful Police Department has a Pharmaceutical Disposal bin at City Hall to be used for disposal of any medication no longer being used. Rather than flush your old meds down the toilet or sink, dispose of them safely with no harm to the environment. **We cannot take syringes and chemicals.**

### Youth Council Fundraiser

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**WEBER WATER WILL BE TURNED ON THE WEEK OF APRIL 15<sup>TH</sup>** - Please make sure your water supply valves are turned off to avoid unnecessary water damage and wasting secondary water.





WEST BOUNTIFUL

# ARTS COUNCIL

PRESENTS

## FEATURED ARTISTS 2012

### MARCH



**Jean VanderToolen**

Jean VanderToolen was raised in Bountiful and has loved art since she was a child. She attended Woods Cross High, graduated from Viewmont High, and attended Southern Utah University. She married Bruce VanderToolen and moved back to West Bountiful in 1981 where they raised four boys, Will, Jacob, Joshua and Bradley. Graduating from the University of Utah in 1998, Jean received a bachelor's degree in Fine Art, and in 2007 became National Board Certified. Watercolor is her first love, but she also loves painting scenery and likes doing portraits. She is currently working on portraits of two grandchildren. She has taught art classes at Highland High School for 13 years.

### APRIL



**Krista Maurer**

Raised on an island off the coast of South Carolina, Krista Maurer had an enchanting childhood. She learned to read the tides, cast a shrimp net, and catch a crab for dinner. Krista landed at BYU in 1997. Seven years, three major changes, and an LDS mission later, she graduated with a degree in journalism and began her career in public relations, eventually becoming Manager of Marketing Communications at Deseret Book Company (music division). In 2009, she left Deseret Book to pursue long-time dreams and goals. She is the owner of Island Belle Photo, a lifestyle photography company. A five-year resident of West Bountiful, she also works as an independent marketing consultant, publishes a magazine for teenage girls, writes (KristaMaurer.com), and draws (IslandBelle.etsy.com).

### MAY

#### West Bountiful Youth

In May, we hope to feature the work of West Bountiful's budding "Young Visual Artists." If you know of any young artists who would be interested in being featured this month, please contact Eric Eastman at 801-292-0664.

### JUNE - To Be Announced

Artists' work may be seen in the lobby of City Hall.

## CITY EVENTS



West Bountiful's April 13 concert will feature Ransom Note.

### Ransom Note

**Friday, April 13, 2012**

7 p.m. - City Hall

**Ransom Note** has been singing together for more than four years, and although some things have changed in that time, their dedication to awesome note singing and fun has remained. Consisting of **Doug "cool" Cahoon**, **Russ "the bus" Adams**, **James "jimmeh" Singer** and West Bountiful native **Travis "divots" Nicholson**, Ransom Note has enjoyed entertaining tens of thousands of people at various venues. They have performed the national anthem for the Salt Lake Bees, Rocky Mountain Raceways, and Real Salt Lake. They have opened for various cover bands at Taylorsville Dayzz. From Cee Lo Green to The Temptations to Ben Folds to The Foo Fighters, there's not a genre they avoid singing. In the words of Travis Nicholson, "You miss this show, and you miss living." We hope you'll join us for an evening of fun dedicated to "awesome note singing"!

### Young Artists

**Friday, May 11, 2012**

7 p.m. - City Hall

May's concert is our annual tribute to West Bountiful's own talented **young musicians**. Our program will offer a variety of instrumental and vocal performers. Come celebrate the accomplishments of these developing musicians. Those who do so will feast on a musical treat presented by dedicated and talented performers.



The Silver Winds Flute Ensemble will perform June 8.

### Flute ensemble will perform

**Friday, June 8, 2012**

7 p.m. - City Hall

Our June concert will bring **Collette Maloy Smith**, daughter of Elwood and Colleen Maloy, and the **"Silver Winds Flute Ensemble"** back to the West Bountiful stage. The six member group was formed in 1989 by women who wanted to continue to play their flutes in spite of the demands of mothering, teaching music lessons, work, church, and community service. Collette tells us the group adds bass flutes and piccolos to the more common C note flutes giving their music a unique depth of harmonies and variations. Each woman in the group is proficient in all three styles of flute.

For more information visit: [westbountiful.utah.gov](http://westbountiful.utah.gov) (click on the Arts Council Logo)

If you know someone from West Bountiful whose work we could showcase as a featured artist, please contact Eric at 801-292-0664



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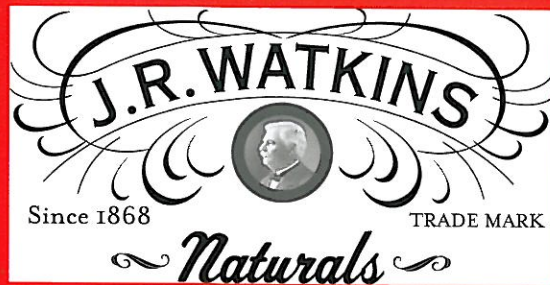
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## **BE PREPARED**

The **2012 Great Utah ShakeOut on April 17, 2012**, is less than two months away! More than 400,000 people are already registered to participate. You can get daily updates about who is participating by following us on Twitter [@UtahShakeOut](https://twitter.com/UtahShakeOut). Also, find out exactly what a magnitude 7 earthquake would look like in Utah with the video [Utah: Preparedness Now](#) on YouTube.

### **Basic Instructions for your Drill**

Some ShakeOut drills may last all day, while most are just a few minutes. Here is how to have a **basic** Drop, Cover, and Hold On drill, and what to do after (ShakeOut [drill manuals](#) provide detailed instructions for simple to complex drills):

- If you have [downloaded](#) the drill broadcast, begin playing it at 10:15
- At 10:15, practice Drop, Cover, and Hold On for at least 60 seconds (the length of the drill broadcast):
  - **DROP** to the ground (before the earthquake drops you!)
  - Take **COVER** by getting under a sturdy desk or table (or against a wall with your arms covering your head/neck), and
  - **HOLD ON** to your shelter until the shaking stops.
- Then, importantly, talk with people you are with about what might happen in a real earthquake, what you learned by practicing, and how you can reduce the risk of injury (at home, work, or school) by [securing your space](#).
- Share [photos, stories, or videos](#), and tweet about your drill (use #UtahShakeOut).



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